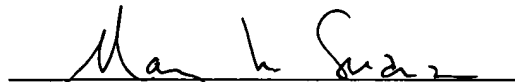




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In re Application of: J. M. NUSS et al.
Confirmation No.: 1440
U.S. Application No. 10/719,896
Filing Date: November 21, 2003
Group Art Unit: 1614
Examiner: Unassigned
For: SMALL MOLECULE PI 3-KINASE INHIBITORS
AND METHODS OF THEIR USE

**PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF
TIME PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

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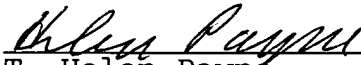
Applicant herewith requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed on February 20, 2004 from the PTO.

The extension fee of \$110.00 is included in the check that accompanies this petition. The check is in the amount of \$1,814.00, which includes the basic filing fee, late oath or declaration surcharge, additional claim fees and extension of time fees.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication and which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 03-1664.

Respectfully submitted,

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